

## CLAIMS

- 1 A measuring and tool setting device comprising a bridging cursor of plastics material, wood, metal or any combination of these containing a releasably locking mechanism in the form of a slotted hollow cylinder acting upon a steel rule or scale passing through said body at an angle of 90 degrees to a datum drawn between two feet which form the base of the device and which when resting upon a reference face will in conjunction with a bevel provided at the top or apex of the cursor body indicate the displacement of the rule or scale relative to the datum thereby measuring the projection of a cutting edge from the reference face.
- 2 A measuring and tool setting device as claimed in claim 1 wherein there is provided a releasably locking mechanism in the form of a slotted hollow cylinder which acts upon the rule or scale and thereby controls the sliding action of the bridging cursor body.
- 3 A measuring and tool setting device as claimed in claims 1 and 2 wherein there is provided a bevel at the top edge or apex of the bridging cursor body.